## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to Chapter 91, Hawaii Revised Statutes, notice is hereby given that the State of Hawaii, Department of Transportation, Harbors Division will hold a public hearing to consider the proposed changes to Title 19, Chapter 44, Section 66 of the Hawaii Administrative Rules ("HAR"). The public hearing to allow the public to comment on the proposed administrative rule amendment will be held at 9:00 a.m., January 6, 2005 at the Harbors Division's Conference Room No. 2, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor, 79 South Nimitz Highway, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813.

If special needs are required (i.e., braille, large print, taped materials, sign language interpreter, etc.), call Sherryle Heafner at (808) 587-1930 by December 30, 2004. If you are hearing impaired, call through relay telephone number at (808) 643-8833.

All interested parties are invited to attend and present their views on the proposed amendment orally or in writing. Written statements may be submitted before or at the public hearing.

The proposed amendment to Section 19-44-66, will discount the wharfage rates for overseas general merchandise and lumber at Kalaeloa Barbers Point Harbor. The discount will be as follows:

50% reduction for the first year 40% reduction for the second year 30% reduction for the third year 20% reduction for the fourth year 10% reduction for the fifth year No reduction after the fifth year.

Copies of the proposed rule amendment to be adopted will be mailed at no cost to any interested person who requests a copy by calling (808) 587-1930, and is also available on the following website: <a href="http://www.state.hi.us/dot/publicaffairs/notices/index.htm">http://www.state.hi.us/dot/publicaffairs/notices/index.htm</a>, or may be obtained from any of the Governor's Liaison Offices or Harbors Division District Offices between the hours of 7:45 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday thru Friday (except state holidays.) The office addresses are listed below.

## Island of Oahu

Department of Transportation 869 Punchbowl Street, Room 509 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813 Harbors Division Administration Office 79 So. Nimitz Highway, Room 309. Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

## Island of Hawaii:

Governor's Liaison Office – Hilo 75 Aupuni Street Hilo, Hawaii 96720

Hilo Harbors – Hawaii District Office 80 Kuhio Street Hilo, Hawaii 96720

## Island of Maui:

Governor's Liaison Office 2264 Aupuni Street, #1 Wailuku, Maui 96793

Island of Kauai

Governor's Liaison Office 3060 Eiwa Street, #106 Lihue, Kauai 96766 Governor's Liaison Office – Kona 75-5722 Kuakini Hwy, Suite 215 Kailua-Kona, Hawaii 96740

Harbors Division – Maui District Office 103 Ala Luina Street Kahului, Maui 96732

Harbors Division – Kauai District Office 3242 Waapa Road Lihue, Kauai 96766

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